

In re application of . BUNICK et al.



Case Docket No.: MCP-281

Serial No. 09/896,052

Filed: June 29, 2001

For: BRITTLE-COATING, SOFT CORE DOSAGE FORM

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

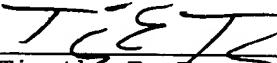
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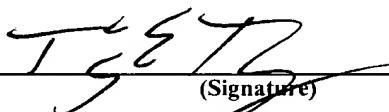
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

The shortened statutory period for responding to the September 4, 2002 Office Action ended on December 4, 2002. Accordingly, a petition for a three-month extension of time is submitted concurrently herewith. With this extension, the due date for responding to the Office Action will be March 4, 2003.

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